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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Robert J. Proebsting

Application No.: 09/439,061

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For: HIGH SPEED VIDEO FRAME  
BUFFER

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DECLARATION OF  
ROBERT J. PROEBSTING  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.131

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Sir:

I, ROBERT J. PROEBSTING, hereby declare as follows:

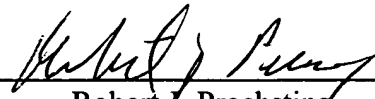
1. I am the inventor of the invention described and claimed in the above-referenced application.

2. I conceived the claimed invention prior to August 8, 1996, and disclosed the invention to Babak S. Sani, a patent attorney registered to practice before the United States Patent and Trademark Office, prior to that date, with the intent of obtaining patent protection for the invention.

3. As evidence that my conception of the present invention occurred prior to August 8, 1996, I refer the Examiner of the present application to Provisional Application No. 60/022,729, filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on July 29, 1996. This provisional application contains a description of a method for storing video data as claimed in the present application.

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Date: March 13, 2004

Signed:   
Robert J. Proebsting